

Attorney's Docket No. 5470.296DV

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Stewart, et al.
Serial No. To Be Assigned
Filed: Concurrently Herewith
For: DETECTION OF BINDING REACTIONS USING LABELS DETECTED
BY MEDIATED CATALYTIC ELECTROCHEMISTRY

November 16, 2001

BOX PATENT APPLICATION
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please enter the following Preliminary Amendment before examining the pending application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

At page 1, line 2, after "CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS"
and before "This", add -/This application is a divisional of U.S. Application Serial No.
09/722,065 filed November 24, 2000, the contents of which are hereby incorporated by
reference as if recited in full herein.--

IN THE CLAIMS:

- Please cancel Claims 1-112, without prejudice thereto.

Respectfully submitted,

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